

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

MINES & MINERALS – Mining Lease for Quartz over an extent of 21.514 Hectares in Sy. No.147/P of Polineni Cheruvu (V), Voletivaripalem (M), Prakasham District held by M/s. U.B. Minerals, Mg. Partner: Sri P. Udaya Bhaskar Rao – Declared as lapsed under Rule 28 (1) of M.C Rules, 1960 - Orders – Issued.

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INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (M.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 181.

Dated: 18.11.2014

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.301, Ind. & Com (M-III) Dept., dt.20.10.2003.
2. From the DM&G., file bearing No.66024/R3-3/13,Dt:24.10.2013.
3. Govt. Memo No.16237/M.I(2)/2013, Dt:09.11.2013.

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ORDER :

In the reference first read above, Government have granted a Mining Lease for Quartz over an extent of 21.514 Hectares in Sy. No.147/P of Polineni Cheruvu (V), Voletivaripalem (M), Prakasham District a period of (20) years in favour of M/s. U.B. Minerals, Mg. Partner: Sri P. Udaya Bhaskar Rao and the Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, executed the lease deed on 01.01.2004.

2. In the reference second read above, the Director of Mines & Geology, Govt., of A.P., Hyderabad has submitted proposals for lapsing the lease held by M/s. U.B. Minerals, Mg. Partner: Sri P. Udaya Bhaskar Rao under rule 28(1) of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 on the ground that, the lease is not working for more than two years i.e. from 30.06.2007, for consideration of the Government:

3. Government after considering the report of the Director of Mines & Geology, Govt., of A.P., Hyderabad, it was proposed to lapse the above mining lease held by M/s. U.B. Minerals, Mg. Partner: Sri P. Udaya Bhaskar Rao and accordingly, a show cause notice was issued in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above under rule 28 (1) of Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 as to why the Mining Lease held by him shall not be declared as lapsed, and submit his explanation/ representation within 15 days failing which it will be construed that he has no explanation/ representation on the action proposed and further action will be taken on the material available with the Government.

4. It should be noted in this regard that mineral wealth is the wealth of the nation and should be put to use for public good. Government gave mining lease so that the lessee could do mining scientifically within the prescribed time limits and use the mined mineral. Such a mine would generate revenue for the State by way of taxes, employment for the local people and give boost to the overall economy of the region besides industrializing the area. None of these objectives could be achieved due to the abject failure of the lessee.

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5. Government after careful consideration of the matter have decided to declare the Mining Lease held by M/s. U.B.Minerals, Mg. Partner: Sri P. Udaya Bhaskar Rao for Quartz over an extent of 21.514 Hectares in Sy. No.147/P of Polineni Cheruvu (V), Voletivaripalem (M), Prakasham District, as lapsed under Rule 28(1) of M.C Rules, 1960, as the lessee company has failed to fulfill the lease conditions.

6. The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

[ BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH ]

J.S.V. PRASAD  
PRINCIAPL SECRETARY TO GOVERNEMNT

To

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The Director of Mines & Geology, Govt. A.P., Hyderabad.(with connected file)

Copy to:

The Zonal Joint Director of Mines & Geology), Ongole.

The Deputy Director of Mines & Geology, Guntur.

The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Markapur, Prakasam Dist.

The District Collector, Prakasam Dist.

The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Mines, Sastry Bhavan, New Delhi-110001.

The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bavan, Civil Lines, Nagpur-440001.

The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Jarkand.

The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.

SF/SCs (C.No.16237/M.II(2)/2013)

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER